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Applicant: Dr. Pietro PADOVANI ) Re: Claim to Priority  
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 For: "PROCESS AND PLANT FOR HANDLING )  
 THERMOFORMED OBJECTS FOR A )  
 SINGLE-STATION THERMOFORMING MACHINE )  
 WITH FORM AND CUT MOULD" ) Date: December 11, 2003

35 U.S.C. 119 CLAIM TO PRIORITY

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Sir:

[X] Applicants hereby make a right of priority claim under 35 U.S.C. 119 for the benefit of the filing date(s) of the following corresponding foreign application(s):

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[X] A certified copy of the above-noted patent application was filed on June 17, 2002.

[ ] To support applicants' claim, a certified copy of the above-identified foreign patent application is enclosed herewith.

[ ] The priority document will be forwarded to the Patent Office when required or prior to issuance.

Respectfully submitted,



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